

**CROP VARIETIES RELEASED BY THE
TAMIL NADU AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY FROM 1971 to 2003**

I. AGRICULTURE

RICE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Bhavani	1973
2.	CO 36	1974
3.	CO 37	1974
4.	CO 38	1975
5.	CO 39	1975
6.	CO 40	1977
7.	CO 41	1979
8.	CO 42	1979
9.	MDU 1	1980
10.	CO 43	1982
11.	Paiyur 1	1982
12.	Ponmani	1982
13.	CO 44	1983
14.	MDU 2	1984
15.	PMK 1	1985
16.	TPS 1	1985
17.	White Ponni	1986
18.	ASD 16	1986
19.	TPS 2	1987
20.	ADT 37	1987
21.	ADT 38	1987
22.	ADT 39	1988
23.	ADT 40	1989
24.	ASD 17	1989
25.	MDU 3	1989
26.	CO 45	1990
27.	ASD 18	1991
28.	MDU 4	1991
29.	TKM 10	1992
30.	ADT 41 (JJ-92)	1993
31.	TPS 3	1993
32.	CORH 1* (MGR)	1994
33.	ADT 42	1994
34.	PMK 2	1994
35.	TRY 1	1995
36.	ASD 19	1995
37.	MDU 5	1996

38.	ASD 20	1997
39.	CO 46	1997
40.	CORH 2*	1998
41.	ADTRH 1*	1998
42.	ADT 43	1998
43.	TKM 11	1998
44.	CO 47	1999
45.	ADT 44	2000
46.	ADT (R) 45	2001
47.	TRY (R) 2	2001
48.	ADT (R) 46	2002
49.	TKM (R) 12	2002
50.	PMK (R) 3	2003

* HYBRID

MAIZE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	COH 1*	1982
2.	CO 1	1985
3.	COH 2*	1989
4.	COH 3*	1996
5.	CO Bc 1 (Baby corn)	1998
6.	COH (M) 4	2002

*Hybrid

MILLETS

SORGHUM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	COH 1*	1974
2.	COH 2*	1974
3.	CO 21	1977
4.	CO 22	1978
5.	CO 23	1979
6.	CO 24	1980
7.	COH 3*	1981
8.	CO 25	1985
9.	CO 26	1986
10.	CO 27	1986
11.	K 8	1989
12.	K 9	1990
13.	COH 4*	1991
14.	Paiyur 1	1991
15.	K 10	1991

16.	BSR 1	1994
17.	Paiyur 2	1995
18.	APK 1	1996
19.	K-11	2000
20.	CO (S) 28	2001
21.	CO (FS) 29	2001

* HYBRID

CUMBU

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 6	1977
2.	X 4*	1980
3.	X 5*	1983
4.	CO 7	1986
5.	X 6*	1993
6.	X 7*	1997
7.	CO(Cu) H8*	2001

* HYBRID

RAGI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 10	1972
2.	CO 11	1978
3.	Paiyur 1	1984
4.	CO 12	1985
5.	TRY 1	1987
6.	CO 13	1988

TENAI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 4	1974
2.	CO 5	1979
3.	K 3	1987
4.	CO 6	1994

SAMAI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1972
2.	Paiyur 1	1987
3.	CO 3	1996
4.	Paiyur 2	2000

VARAGU

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 3	1980
2.	APK 1	1991
3.	Vamban 1	1995

PANIVARAGU

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1984
2.	CO 3	1986
3.	CO 4	1987

KUDIRAIVALI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1979

PULSES**REDGRAM**

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1975
2.	CO 3	1977
3.	CO 4	1982
4.	CO 5	1984
5.	BSRI	1986
6.	CO 6	1991
7.	Vamban 1	1992
8.	COH 1*	1994
9.	COPH 2*	1997
10.	Vamban 2	1999
11.	APK 1	1999

*HYBRID

BLACKGRAM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1974
2.	CO 3	1976
3.	CO 4	1978
4.	CO 5	1981
5.	ADT 3	1982
6.	VBN 1	1987
7.	ADT 4	1987
8.	ADT 5	1988
9.	APK 1	1993
10.	K 1	1994
11.	VBN 2	1996
12.	Vamban 3	2000
13.	VBN (Bg) 4	2003

GREEN GRAM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1974
2.	CO 3	1976
3.	CO 4	1982
4.	ADT 2	1982
5.	Paiyur 1	1985
6.	ADT 3	1988
7.	VBN 1	1989
8.	CO 5	1990
9.	K 1	1998
10.	CO 6	1999
11.	VRM (Gg) 1	2001
12.	VBN (Gg) 2	2001

BENGAL GRAM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1979
2.	CO 3	1986
3.	CO 4	1998

COWPEA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1974
2.	CO 3	1979
3.	CO 4	1983
4.	Paiyur 1	1984
5.	CO 5	1986
6.	CO 6	1993
7.	VBN 1	1997
8.	Vamban 2	1998
9.	CO(CP) 7	2002

SOYBEAN

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1980
2.	ADT 1	1990
3.	CO 2	1995

LAB-LAB (AVARAI)

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 8	1972
2.	CO 9	1977
3.	CO 10	1983
4.	CO 11	1989

5.	CO 12	1991
6.	CO 13	1997

LAB-LAB (MOCHAI)

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1980
2.	CO 2	1984

HORSEGRAM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Paiyur 1	1988
2.	Paiyur 2	1998

LIMA BEAN

S.No	Name	Year
1.	LBS 1	1991

SWORD BEAN

S.No	Name	Year
1.	SPS 1	1990

OILSEEDS

GROUNDNUT

S.No	Name	Year
1.	POL 2	1972
2.	CO 1	1979
3.	CO 2	1984
4.	VRI 1	1986
5.	ALR 1	1987
6.	VRI 2	1989
7.	VRI 3	1990
8.	ALR 2	1994
9.	BSR 1	1994
10.	VRI 4	1996
11.	CO 3	1999
12.	ALR 3	1999
13.	CO (Gn) 4	2001
14.	VRI (Gn) 5	2001
15.	CO (GN) 5	2002

GINGELLY

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1983
2.	Paiyur 1	1990
3.	SVPR 1	1992
4.	VRI 1	1995

CASTOR

S.No	Name	Year
1.	TMV 5	1984
2.	TMV 6	1997
3.	TMVCH 1*	1998

* HYBRID

SUNFLOWER

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1983
2.	CO 2	1986
3.	CO 3	1995
4.	CO 4	1996
5.	TCSH 1*	2000

* HYBRID

SAFFLOWER

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1979

NIGER

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Paiyur 1	1997

COTTON

S.No	Name	Year
1.	MCU 7	1972
2.	MCU 8	1974
3.	CBS 156*	1975
4.	MCU 9	1978
5.	MCU 10	1982
6.	K 10	1985
7.	MCU 11	1988
8.	TCHB 213*	1990
9.	SVPR 1	1991
10.	Paiyur 1	1991
11.	ADT 1	1992
12.	K 11	1993
13.	SVPR 2	1996

14.	KC 2	1998
15.	MCU 12	1999
16.	SVPR 3	2000

*HYBRID

SUGARCANE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	COC 8201	1983
2.	COC 85061	1985
3.	COSi 86071	1986
4.	COC 86062	1987
5.	COC 90063	1990
6.	COC 91061	1991
7.	COC 92061	1992
8.	COG 93076	1993
9.	COG 94077	1994
10.	COG 95076	1995
11.	COSI 95071	1995
12.	COSi 96071	1996
13.	COC 98061	1998
14.	COSi 98071	1998
15.	COC 99061	1999

FORAGES

CUMBU NAPIER

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1983
2.	CO 2	1991
3.	CO 3	1996
4.	KKM 1	2000

BLUE BUFFEL

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1989

LUCERNE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1980

VELIMASAL

S.No	Name	Year
1.	INTRODUCTION	1983

MUYAL MASAL (*S.scabra*)

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Introduction	1991

LEUCAENA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1984
2.	Introduction (Pudia soundal)	1999

GUINEA GRASS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1992
2.	CO 2	2000

FODDER CUMBU

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 8	1992

DEENANATH GRASS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1995

GREEN MANURE**SUNHEMP**

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1983

Sesbania rostrata

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1997

MUSHROOM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	OYSTER MUSHROOM CO 1	1987
2.	OYSTER MUSHROOM APK 1	1995
3.	OYSTER MUSHROOM MDU 1	1997
4.	MILKY MUSHROOM APK 2	1998

5.	OYSTER MUSHROOM OOTY 1	1998
6.	BUTTON MUSHROOM OOTY 1	1999
7.	OYSTER MUSHROOM MDU 2	2000
8.	BUTTON MUSHROOM OOTY (BM) 2	2002

II. HORTICULTURE

FRUITS

ACID LIME

S.No	Name	Year
1.	PKM 1	1990

AMLA (AONLA)

S.No	Name	Year
1.	BSR 1	1995

APPLE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	KODAIKANAL BEAUTY	1987

AVOCADO

S.No	Name	Year
1.	TKD 1	1997

BANANA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1984

CUSTARD APPLE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	APK (Ca) 1	2003

JACK

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Palur 1	1992
2.	PPI 1	1996

MANGO

S.No	Name	Year
1.	PKM 1	1981
2.	PKM 2	1990
3.	Neelum Paiyur	1992

PAPAPYA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1972
2.	CO 2	1974
3.	CO 3	1983
4.	CO 4	1983
5.	CO 5	1985
6.	CO 6	1986
7.	CO 7	1997

POMEGRANATE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1983
2.	YERCAUD 1	1985

SAPOTA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1972
2.	CO 2	1974
3.	PKM 1	1981
4.	HYBRID PKM 2	1992
5.	PKM 3	1994
6.	CO 3	2000
7.	PKM (Sa) 4	2003

TIMLA FIG

S.No	Name	Year
1.	YERCAUD TIMLA FIG	1993

VEGETABLES**AMARANTHUS**

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1977
2.	CO 3	1981
3.	CO 4	1989
4.	CO 5	1998

ASHGOURD

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1982

FRENCH BEANS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	TKD 1	1988
2.	YCD 1	1994
3.	OOTY 1	1999
4.	OOTY (FB) 2	2002

BEETROOT

S.No	Name	Year
1.	OOTY 1	1992

BHENDI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1976
2.	MDU 1	1978
3.	CO 2	1987
4.	CO 3	1991

BITTER GOURD

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1978
2.	MDU 1	1984
3.	CO (Bgo)H 1	2001

BOTTLE GOURD

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1982

BRINJAL

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1978
2.	MDU 1	1979
3.	PKM 1	1984
4.	CO 2	1988
5.	Palur 1	1990
6.	KKM 1	1995
7.	COBH 1	2001
8.	PPI (B) 1	2002

BUTTER BEANS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	KKL 1	1991

CARROT

S.No	Name	Year
1.	OOTY 1	1997

CAULIFLOWER

S.No	Name	Year
1.	OOTY 1	1998

CHILLIES

S.No	Name	Year
1.	K 2	1975
2.	MDU 1	1977
3.	CO 1	1979
4.	CO 2	1982
5.	PKM 1	1990
6.	CO 3	1991
7.	PMK 1	1993
8.	PLR 1	1994
9.	CO 4	2000

COLEUS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1991

COLOCASIA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1991

CUCUMBER

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1989

GARLIC

S.No	Name	Year
1.	OOTY 1	1991

GREATER YAM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1991

MORINGA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	PKM 1	1989
2.	PKM 2	2000

SNAKE GOURD

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1976
2.	PKM 1	1979
3.	MDU 1	1985
4.	CO 2	1986

SWEET POTATO

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1976
2.	CO 2	1980
3.	CO 3	1982
4.	COC1P1	1999

TAPIOCA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1976
2.	CO 2	1984
3.	CO 3	1993
4.	CO (TP) 4	2002

TOMATO

S.No.	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1975
2.	PKM 1	1978
3.	Marutham	1981
4.	Paiyur 1	1988
5.	CO TH 1*	1998

* HYBRID

ONION

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1975
2.	CO 3	1979
3.	MDU 1	1979
4.	CO 4	1982
5.	CO (On) 5	2001

PEAS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	OOTY 1	2000

PUMPKIN

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 2	1975

RIBBED GOURD

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1976
2.	PKM 1	1982
3.	CO 2	1984

RADISH

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1981

PANDAL AVARAI (DOLICHOS BEAN)

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1993

PALAK KEERAI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Ooty 1	1995

MORINGA BEANS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	KKL 1	1996

CHAKRAVARTHI KEERAI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Ooty 1 (Ck) 1	2001

WATER MELON

S.No	Name	Year
1.	PKM 1	1993

FLOWERS**BARLERIA**

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1984

CHRYSANTHEMUM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	MDU 1	1985
2.	CO 1	1985
3.	CO 2	1989

GERBERA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	YCD 1	1992
2.	YCD 2	1995

GLADIOLUS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	KKL 1	1993

HIBISCUS

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1 Thilagam	1981
2.	CO 2 Punnagai	1981
3.	CO 3	1985

MULLAI

S.No	Name	Year
1.	Parimullai	1972
2.	CO 1	1980
3.	CO 2	1988

JATHI MALLI (PITCHI)

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1980
2.	CO 2	1991

MARIGOLD

S.No	Name	Year
1.	MDU 1	1986

ROSE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	YCD 1	1985
2.	YCD 2	1992
3.	YCD 3	1995

SPICES

BETELVINE

S.No	Name	Year
1.	SGM 1	1994

CINNAMON

S.No	Name	Year
1.	YCD 1	1996
2.	PPI (Ci) 1	2003

CORIANDER

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1977
2.	CO 2	1982
3.	CO 3	1991
4.	CO (CR) 4	2002

FENNEL

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1985

FENUGREEK

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1982
2.	CO 2	1999

TAMARIND

S.No	Name	Year
1.	PKM 1	1992

TURMERIC

S.No	Name	Year
1.	CO 1	1983
2.	BSR 1	1986
3.	BSR 2	1994

AROMATIC CROPS

GERANIUM

S.No	Name	Year
1.	KKL 1	1987

PLANTATION CROPS

CASHEW

S.No	Name	Year
1.	VRI 1	1981
2.	VRI 2	1985
3.	VRI 3	1991
4.	VRI 4	2000

COCONUT

S.No	Name	Year
1.	VHC 1*	1982
2.	VHC 2*	1988
3.	VPM 3	1994
4.	VHC 3*	2000
5.	ALR (CN) 1	2002

* HYBRID

PALMYRAH

S.No	Name	Year
1.	SVPR 1	1992

MEDICINAL PLANTS

SENNA

S.No	Name	Year
1.	KKM (Se) 1	2001

III. TREE

Introduction

(*Acacia holosericea*) 1990
Paradise Tree (*Simaruba glauca*) 2000

ABSTRACT - I
(1971 – 2003)
CROP VARIETIES RELEASED IN TNAU (Yearwise)

Year	Agricultur e	Mushroom	Horticultur e	Coconut	Tree	Total
1972	5	-	3	-	-	8
1973	1	-	-	-	-	1
1974	9	-	2	-	-	11
1975	4	-	4	-	-	8
1976	2	-	5	-	-	7
1977	5	-	3	-	-	8
1978	4	-	4	-	-	8
1979	9	-	5	-	-	14
1980	7	-	3	-	-	10
1981	2	-	8	-	-	10
1982	9	-	8	1	-	18
1983	10	-	4	-	-	14
1984	9	-	6	-	-	15
1985	8	-	9	-	-	17
1986	12	-	4	-	-	16
1987	11	1	3	-	-	15
1988	6	-	4	1	-	11
1989	9	-	4	-	-	13
1990	10	-	4	-	1	14
1991	14	-	10	-	-	24
1992	8	-	8	-	-	15
1993	7	-	6	-	-	13
1994	10	-	5	1	-	16
1995	10	1	5	-	-	16
1996	10	-	3	-	-	13
1997	10	1	3	-	-	14
1998	13	2	3	-	-	17
1999	9	1	3	-	-	13
2000	8	1	5	1	1	16
2001	9	-	5	-	-	14
2002	5	1	4	1	-	11
2003	2	-	3	-	-	5
Total	247	8	146	5	2	408

ABSTRACT – II

(1971 – 2003)

CROP VARIETIES RELEASED IN TNAU (Cropwise)

A.	AGRICULTURE		5.	Oilseeds	
1.	Rice	50 (3 H)		Groundnut	15
2.	Maize	6 (4 H)		Sesame	4
3.	Millets			Castor	3 (1 H)
	Sorghum	21 (4 H)		Sunflower	5 (1 H)
	Cumbu	7 (5 H)		Safflower	1
	Ragi	6		Niger	1
	Thenai	4		Total	29
	Varagu	3	6.	Cotton	16 (2 H)
	Samai	4	7.	Sugarcane	18
	Panivaragu	3	8.	Forages	
	Kudiraivali	1		Cumbu Napier	4 (4 H)
	Total	49		Fodder Cumbu	1
4.	Pulses			Guinea Grass	2
	Redgram	11 (2 H)		Lucerne	1
	Blackgram	13		Velimasal	1
	Greengram	12		Muyalmasal	1
	Bengalgram	3		Leucaena	2
	Cowpea	9		Bluebuffel	1
	Soybean	3		Deenanath Grass	1
	Avarai	6		Total	14
	Mochai	2	9.	Green Manure	
	Horsegram	2		Sunhemp	1
	Limabean	1		S.rostrata	1
	Swordbean	1		Total	2
	Total	63	B.	MUSHROOM	8
			C.	TREE	2

D.	HORTICULTURE			Sweetpotato	4
1.	Fruits			Tapioca	4
	Acid lime	1		Tomato	5 (1 H)
	Amla	1		Peas	1
	Apple	1		Pumpkin	1
	Avocado	1		Ribbed gourd	3
	Banana	1		Radish	1
	Custard apple	1		Pandal Avarai	1
	Jack	2		Total	78
	Mango	3	3.	Flowers	
	Papaya	7		Barleria	1
	Pomegranate	2		Chrysanthemum	3
	Sapota	7		Gerbera	2
	Timla Fig	1		Gladiolus	1
	Total	28		Hibiscus	3
2.	Vegetables			Mullai	3
	Amaranthus	4		Jathimalli	2
	Ashgourd	1		Marigold	1
	French Beans	4		Rose	3
	Beetroot	1		Total	19
	Bhendi	4 (1 H)	4.	Spices	
	Bittergourd	3 (1 H)		Betel vine	1
	Bottlegourd	1		Cinnamon	2
	Brinjal	8 (1 H)		Coriander	4
	Butter beans	1		Fennel	1
	Chilli	9		Fenugreek	2
	Carrot	1		Tamarind	1
	Cauliflower	1		Turmeric	3
	Coleus	1		Total	14
	Colocasia	1	5.	Plantation crops	
	Watermelon	1		Coconut	5 (3 H)
	Palak Keerai	1		Cashew	4
	Moringa beans	1		Palmyrah	1
	Chakravarthi keerai	1		Total	10
	Garlic	1	6.	Medicinal plant	
	Onion	5		Senna	1
	Cucumber	1	7.	Aromatic plant	
	Greater yarn	1		Geranium	1
	Moringa	2			
	Snakegourd	4 (1 H)			

ABSTRACT – III

CROP VARIETIES RELEASED IN TAMIL NADU

A.	AGRICULTURE	STATE	BY TNAU	TOTAL
	Rice	100	50 (3 H)	150
	Maize	2 (1 H)	6 (4 H)	8
	Millets	78 (6 H)	49 (9 H)	127
	Pulses	25	63 (2 H)	88
	Oilseeds	32	29 (2 H)	61
	Cotton	16	16 (2 H)	32
	Sugarcane	10	18	28
	Forages	-	14 (4 H)	14
	Greenmanure	-	2	2
	Total	263	247	510
B.	MUSHROOM	-	8	8
C.	TREE	-	2	2
D.	HORTICULTURE			
	Fruits	-	28	28
	Vegetables	6	78 (5 H)	84
	Flowers	-	19	19
	Spices	-	14	14
	Plantation	-	10 (3 H)	10
	Medicinal	-	1	1
	Aromatic	-	1	1
	Total	6	151	157
	Grand Total	269	408	677

ABSTRACT – IV

CROP VARIETIES RELEASED IN TAMIL NADU (Cropwise)

Sl.No.		STATE	BY TNAU	TOTAL
A.	AGRICULTURE			
1.	Rice	100	50 (3 H)	150
2.	Maize	2 (1 H)	6 (4 H)	8
3.	Millets			
	Sorghum	29	21 (4 H)	50
	Cumbu	14 (6 H)	7 (5 H)	21
	Ragi	19	6	25
	Thenai	5	4	9
	Varagu	4	3	7
	Samai	2	4	6
	Panivaragu	3	3	6
	Kudiraivali	2	1	3
	Total	78	49	127
4.	Pulses			
	Redgram	2	11 (2 H)	13
	Blackgram	6	13	19
	Greengram	5	12	17
	Bengalgram	1	3	4
	Cowpea	2	9	11
	Soybean	1	3	4
	Avarai	7	6	13
	Mochai	-	2	2
	Horsegram	1	2	3
	Limabean	-	1	1
	Swordbean	-	1	1
	Total	25	63	87
5.	Oilseeds			
	Groundnut	13	15	28
	Sesame	8	4	12
	Castor	7	3 (1 H)	10
	Sunflower	2	5 (1 H)	7
	Safflower	1	1	2
	Niger	1	1	2
	Total	32	29	61
6.	Cotton	16 (1 H)	16 (2 H)	32
7.	Sugarcane	10	18	28
8.	Forages			
	Cumbu Napier	-	4 (4 H)	4
	Fodder Cumbu	-	1	1
	Guinea Grass	-	2	2
	Lucerne	-	1	1

	Velimasal	-	1	1
	Muyalmasal	-	1	1
	Leucaena	-	2	2
	Bluebuffel	-	1	1
	Deenanath Grass	-	1	1
	Total	-	14	14
9.	Green Manure			
	Sunhemp	-	1	1
	S.rostrata	-	1	1
	Total	-	2	2
B.	MUSHROOM	-	8	8
C.	TREE	-	2	2
D.	HORTICULTURE			
1.	Fruits			
	Acid lime	-	1	1
	Amla	-	1	1
	Apple	-	1	1
	Avocado	-	1	1
	Banana	-	1	1
	Custard appled	-	1	1
	Jack	-	2	2
	Mango	-	3	3
	Papaya	-	7	7
	Pomegranate	-	2	2
	Sapota	-	6	6
	Timla Fig	-	1	1
	Total		26	26
2.	Vegetables			
	Amaranthus	1	4	5
	Ashgourd	1	1	2
	French Beans	-	4	4
	Beetroot	-	1	1
	Bhendi	-	4 (1 H)	4
	Bittergourd	-	3 (1 H)	3
	Bottlegourd	-	1	1
	Brinjal	-	8 (1 H)	8
	Butter beans	-	1	1
	Chilli	1	9	10
	Carrot	-	1	1
	Cauliflower	-	1	1
	Coleus	-	1	1
	Colocasia	-	1	1
	Watermelon	-	1	1
	Palak Keerai	-	1	1
	Moringa beans	-	1	1

	Chakravarthi keerai	-	1	1
	Garlic	-	1	1
	Onion	1	5	6
	Cucumber	-	1	1
	Greater yarn	-	1	1
	Moringa	-	2	2
	Snakegourd	-	4 (1 H)	4
	Sweetpotato	-	4	4
	Tapioca	-	4	4
	Tomato	1	5 (1 H)	6
	Peas	-	1	1
	Pumpkin	1	1	2
	Ribbed gourd	-	3	3
	Radish	-	1	1
	Pandal Avarai	-	1	1
	Total	6	78	84
3.	Flowers			
	Barleria	-	1	1
	Chrysanthemum	-	3	3
	Gerbera	-	2	2
	Gladiolus	-	1	1
	Hibiscus	-	3	3
	Mullai	-	3	3
	Jathimalli	-	2	2
	Marigold	-	1	1
	Rose	-	3	3
	Total	-	19	19
4.	Spices			
	Betel vine	-	1	1
	Cinnamon	-	2	2
	Coriander	-	4	4
	Fennel	-	1	1
	Fenugreek	-	2	2
	Tamarind	-	1	1
	Turmeric	-	3	3
	Total	-	14	14
5.	Plantation crops			
	Coconut	-	5 (3 H)	5
	Cashew	-	4	4
	Palmyrah	-	1	1
	Total	-	10	10
6.	Medicinal plant			
	Senna	-	1	1
7.	Aromatic plant			
	Geranium	-	1	1

**CROP VARIETIES RELEASED YEARWISE
(FROM 1971 to 2003)**

1972

RAGI	-	CO 10
SAMAI	-	CO 2
LAB-LAB (AVARAI)	-	CO 8
GROUNDNUT	-	POL 2
COTTON	-	MCU 7
SAPOTA	-	CO 1
MULLAI	-	PARIMULLAI
PAPAYA	-	CO 1

1973

RICE	-	BHAVANI
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1974

RICE	-	CO 36
RICE	-	CO 37
HYBRID SORGHUM	-	COH 1
HYBRID SORGHUM	-	COH 2
TENAI	-	CO 4
BLACKGRAM	-	CO 2
GREENGRAM	-	CO 2
COWPEA	-	CO 2
COTTON	-	MCU 8
SAPOTA	-	CO 2
PAPAYA	-	CO 2

1975

RICE	-	CO 38
RICE	-	CO 39
REDGRAM	-	CO 2
HYBRID COTTON	-	CBS 156
PUMPKIN	-	CO 2
TOMATO	-	CO 2
CHILLIES	-	K 2

ONION - CO 2

1976

BLACKGRAM - CO 3
GREENGRAM - CO 3
BHENDI - CO 1
RIBBED GOURD - CO 1
SNAKE GOURD - CO 1
SWEET POTATO - CO 1
TAPIOCA - CO 1

1977

RICE - CO 40
SORGHUM - CO 21
CUMBU - CO 6
REDGRAM - CO 3
LABLAB - CO 9
AMARANTHUS - CO 2
CHILLIES - MDU 1
CORIANDER - CO 1

1978

SORGHUM - CO 22
RAGI - CO 11
BLACKGRAM - CO 4
COTTON - MCU 9
BHENDI - MDU 1
BITTERGOURD - CO 1
BRINJAL - CO 1
TOMATO - PKM 1

1979

RICE - CO 41
RICE - CO 42
SORGHUM - CO 23
TENAI - CO 5
KUDIRAIVALI - CO 1
BENGALGRAM - CO 2
COWPEA - CO 3

GROUNDNUT	-	CO 1
SAFFLOWER	-	CO 1
BRINJAL	-	MDU 1
SNAKEGOURD	-	PKM 1
CHILLIES	-	CO 1
ONION	-	MDU 1
ONION	-	CO 3

1980

RICE	-	MDU 1
SORGHUM	-	CO 24
HYBRID CUMBU	-	X 4
VARAGU	-	CO 3
SOYABEAN	-	CO 1
MOCHAI	-	CO 1
LUCERNE	-	CO 1
MULLAI	-	CO 1
JATHIMALLI (PITCHI)	-	CO 1
SWEET POTATO	-	CO 2

1981

SORGHUM	-	COH 3
BLACKGRAM	-	CO 5
MANGO	-	PKM 1
SAPOTA	-	PKM 1
RADISH	-	CO 1
TOMATO	-	MARUTHAM
HIBISCUS	-	THILAGAM
HIBISCUS	-	PUNNAGAI
CASHEW	-	VRI 1
AMARANTHUS	-	CO 3

1982

RICE	-	CO 43
RICE	-	PAIYUR 1
RICE	-	PONMANI
MAIZE	-	COH 1
REDGRAM	-	CO 4
BLACKGRAM	-	ADT 3
GREENGRAM	-	CO 4

GREENGRAM	-	ADT 2
HYBRID COCONUT	-	VHC 1
COTTON	-	MCU 10
ASHGOURD	-	CO 2
BOTTLEGOURD	-	CO 1
RIBBEDGOURD	-	PKM 1
SWEET POTATO	-	CO 3
CHILLIES	-	CO 2
CORIANDER	-	CO 2
FENUGREEK	-	CO 1
ONION	-	CO 4

1983

RICE	-	CO 44
HYBRID CUMBU	-	X 5
COWPEA	-	CO 4
LAB LAB (AVARAI)	-	CO 10
GINGELLY	-	CO 1
SUNFLOWER	-	CO 1
SUGARCANE	-	COC 8201
CUMBU NAPIER HY.	-	CO 1
VELIMASAL	-	INTRODUCTION
SUNHEMP	-	CO 1
PAPAYA	-	CO 3
PAPAYA	-	CO 4
POMEGRANATE	-	CO 1
TURMERIC	-	CO 1

1984

RICE	-	MDU 2
RAGI	-	PAIYUR 1
PANIVARAGU	-	CO 2
REDGRAM	-	CO 5
COWPEA	-	PAIYUR 1
LAB LAB (MOCHAI)	-	CO 2
GROUNDNUT	-	CO 2
CASTOR	-	TMV 5
LEUCAENA	-	CO 1
BANANA	-	CO 1
RIBBEDGOURD	-	CO 2
BITTER GOURD	-	MDU 1
BRINJAL	-	PKM 1

TAPIOCA	-	CO 2
BARLERIA	-	CO 1

1985

RICE	-	PMK 1
RICE	-	TPS 1
SORGHUM	-	CO 25
RAGI	-	CO 12
MAIZE	-	CO 1
GREENGRAM	-	PAIYUR 1
COTTON	-	K 10
SUGARCANE	-	COC 85061
PAPAYA	-	CO 5
POMGRANATE	-	YERCAUD 1
SNAKEGOURD	-	MDU 1
CHRYSANTHEMUM	-	MDU 1
CHRYSANTHEMUM	-	CO 1
ROSE	-	YCD 1
FENNEL	-	CO 1
CASHEW	-	VRI 2
HIBISCUS	-	CO 3

1986

RICE	-	WHITE PONNI
RICE	-	ASD 16
SORGHUM	-	CO 26
SORGHUM	-	CO 27
CUMBU	-	CO 7
PANIVARAGU	-	CO 3
REDGRAM	-	BSR 1
BENGALGRAM	-	CO 3
COWPEA	-	CO 5
GROUNDNUT	-	VRI 1
SUNFLOWER	-	CO 2
SUGARCANE	-	COSI 86071
PAPAYA	-	CO 6
SNAKEGOURD	-	CO 2
MARIGOLD	-	MDU 1
TURMERIC	-	BSR 1

1987

RICE	-	ADT 37
RICE	-	ADT 38
RICE	-	TPS 2
RAGI	-	TRY 1
TENAI	-	K 3
SAMAI	-	PAIYUR 1
PANIVARAGU	-	CO 4
BLACKGRAM	-	VBN 1
BLACKGRAM	-	ADT 4
GROUNDNUT	-	ALR 1
SUGARCANE	-	COC 86062
OYSTER MUSHROOM	-	CO 1
(PLEUROTUS CITRINOPILEATUS (FR) SINGER)		
APPLE	-	KODAIKANAL BEAUTY
BHENDI	-	CO 2
GERANIUM	-	KKL 1

1988

RICE	-	ADT 39
RAGI	-	CO 13
BLACKGRAM	-	ADT 5
GREENGRAM	-	ADT 3
HORSEGRAM	-	PAIYUR 1
HYBRID COCONUT	-	VHC 2
COTTON	-	MCU 11
BEANS	-	TKD 1
BRINJAL	-	CO 2
TOMATO	-	PAIYUR 1
MULLAI	-	CO 2

1989

RICE	-	ADT 40
RICE	-	ASD 17
RICE	-	MDU 3
SORGHUM	-	K 8
HYBRID MAIZE	-	COH 2
GREENGRAM	-	VBN 1
LAB LAB (AVARAI)	-	CO 11
GROUNDNUT	-	VRI 2
BLUE BUFFELGRASS	-	CO 1
AMARANTHUS	-	CO 4
CUCUMBER	-	CO 1
MORINGA	-	PKM 1
CHRYSANTHEMUM	-	CO 2

1990

RICE	-	CO 45
SORGHUM	-	K 9
GREENGRAM	-	CO 5
SOYBEAN	-	ADT 1
SWORD BEAN	-	SPS 1
GROUNDNUT	-	VRI 3
GINGELLY	-	PAIYUR 1
HYBRID COTTON	-	TCHB 213
SUGARCANE	-	COC 90063
MANGO	-	PKM 2
ACID LIME	-	PKM 1
BRINJAL	-	PALUR 1
CHILLIES	-	PKM 1
ACACIA HOLOSERICEA - INTRODUCTION		

1991

RICE	-	ASD 18
RICE	-	MDU 4
HYBRID SORGHUM	-	COH 4
SORGHUM	-	PAIYUR 1
SORGHUM	-	K 10
VARAGU	-	APK 1
REDGRAM	-	CO 6

LAB LAB (AVARAI)	-	CO 12
LIMA BEAN	-	LBS 1
COTTON	-	SVPR 1
COTTON	-	PAIYUR 1
SUGARCANE	-	COC 91061
CUMBU NAPIER GRASS-		CO 2
MUYALMASAL (S.SCABRA)		INTRODUCTION
BHENDI	-	CO 3
BUTTER BEANS	-	KKL 1
COLEUS	-	CO 1
COLOCASIA	-	CO 1
GREATER YAM	-	CO 1
JATHIMALLI (PITCHI)	-	CO 2
CHILLIES	-	CO 3
CORIANDER	-	CO 3
GARLIC	-	OOTY 1
CASHEW	-	VRI 3

1992

RICE	-	TKM 10
REDGRAM	-	VAMBAN 1
GINGELLY	-	SVPR 1
COTTON	-	ADT 1
SUGARCANE	-	COC 92061
GUINEA GRASS	-	CO 1
FODDER CUMBU	-	CO 8
JACK	-	PALUR 1
MANGO	-	NEELUM PAIYUR 1
HYBRID SAPOTA	-	PKM 2
BEETROOT	-	OOTY 1
GERBERA	-	YCD 1
ROSE	-	YCD 2
PALMYRAH	-	SVPR 1
TAMARIND	-	PKM 1

1993

RICE	-	ADT 41 (JJ 92)
RICE	-	TPS 3
HYBRID CUMBU	-	X 6
BLACKGRAM	-	APK 1
COWPEA	-	CO 6

COTTON	-	K 11
SUGARCANE	-	COG 93076
TIMLA FIG	-	YERCAUD TIMLA FIG
WATER MELON	-	PKM 1
PANDAL AVARAI	-	CO 1
TAPIOCA	-	CO 3
GLADIOLUS	-	KKL 1
CHILLIES	-	PMK 1

1994

HYBRID RICE	-	CORH 1
RICE	-	ADT 42
RICE	-	PMK 2
SORGHUM	-	BSR 1
TENAI	-	CO 6
HYBRID REDGRAM	-	COH 1
BLACKGRAM	-	K 1
GROUNDNUT	-	ALR 2
GROUNDNUT	-	BSR 1
COCONUT	-	VPM 3
SUGARCANE	-	COG 94077
SAPOTA	-	PKM 3
BEANS	-	YCD 1
BETELVINE	-	SGM 1
CHILLIES	-	PLR 1
TURMERIC	-	BSR 2

1995

RICE	-	TRY 1
RICE	-	ASD 19
SORGHUM	-	PAIYUR 2
VARAGU	-	VAMBAN 1
SOYBEAN	-	CO 2
GINGELLY	-	VRI 1
SUNFLOWER	-	CO 3
SUGARCANE	-	COG 95076
SUGARCANE	-	COSI 95071
DEENANATH GRASS	-	CO 1
OYSTER MUSHROOM	-	APK 1
(PLEUROTUS EOOR (BARK) SACC)		
AMLA	-	BSR 1

BRINJAL	-	KKM 1
PALAK KEERAI	-	OOTY 1
GERBERA	-	YCD 2
ROSE	-	YCD 3 (JEYALALITHA)

1996

RICE	-	MDU 5
SORGHUM	-	APK 1
HYBRID MAIZE	-	COH 3
SAMAI	-	CO 3
BLACKGRAM	-	VBN 2
GROUNDNUT	-	VRI 4
SUNFLOWER	-	CO 4
COTTON	-	SVPR 2
SUGARCANE	-	COS1 96071
CUMBU NAPIER	-	CO 3
JACK	-	PPI 1
MORINGA BEANS	-	KKL 1
CHINNAMON	-	YCD 1

1997

RICE	-	ASD 20
RICE	-	CO 46
HYBRID CUMBU	-	X 7
HYBRID REDGRAM	-	COH 2
COWPEA	-	VBN 1
LAB LAB (AVARAI)	-	CO 13
CASTOR	-	TMV 6
NIGER	-	PAIYUR 1
COTTON	-	KC 2
<i>SESBANIA ROSTRATA</i>	-	CO 1
OYSTER MUSHROOM	-	MDU 1
AVOCADO	-	TKD 1
PAPAYA	-	CO 7
CARROT	-	OOTY 1

1998

HYBRID RICE	-	CORH 2
HYBRID RICE	-	ADTRH 1
RICE	-	ADT 43
RICE	-	TKM 11
MAIZE	-	COBC 1 (BABY CORN)
GREENGRAM	-	K 1
BENGALGRAM	-	CO 4
VEGETABLE COWPEA	-	VAMBAN 2
HORSEGRAM	-	PAIYUR 2
HYBRID CASTOR	-	TMVCH 1
SUGARCANE	-	COC 98061
SUGARCANE	-	COSI 98071
MILKY MUSHROOM (CALOCYBA INDICA)	-	APK 2
OYSTER MUSHROOM (PLEUROTUS OSTREATUS (FR) KUMMER)	-	OOTY 1
AMARANTHUS	-	CO 5
CAULIFLOWER	-	OOTY 1
HYBRID TOMATO	-	COTH 1

1999

RICE	-	CO 47
REDGRAM	-	VAMBAN 2
REDGRAM	-	APK 1
GREENGRAM	-	CO 6
GROUNDNUT	-	CO 3
GROUNDNUT	-	ALR 3
COTTON	-	MCU 12
SUGARCANE	-	COC 99061
PUDIA SOUNDAL (LEUCAENA)	-	INTRODUCTION
BUTTON MUSHROOM (AGARIUS BISPORUS (LARGE) SINGES)	-	OOTY 1
FRENCH BEANS	-	OOTY 1
SWEET POTATO	-	COCIP 1
FENUGREEK	-	CO 2

2000

RICE	-	ADT 44
FODDER CUM GRAIN SORGHUM	-	K 11
SAMAI	-	PAIYUR 2
BLACKGRAM	-	VAMBAN 3
HYBRID SUNFLOWER	-	TCSH 1
HYBRID COCONUT	-	VHC 3
COTTON	-	SVPR 3
GUINEA GRASS	-	CO 2
CUMBU NAPIER HYBRID GRASS	-	KKM 1
HYBRID SAPOTA	-	CO 3
ANNUAL MORINGA	-	PKM 2
PEAS	-	OOTY 1
VEGETABLE CHILLI	-	CO 4
CASHEW	-	VRI 4
OYSTER MUSHROOM	-	MDU 2
SIMARUBA OIL TREE (PARADISE TREE)	-	INTRODUCTION

2001

RICE	-	ADT (R) 45
RICE	-	TRY (R) 2
SORGHUM	-	CO (S) 28
FODDER SORGHUM	-	CO (FS) 29
CUMBU HYBRID	-	CO (Cu) H8
GREENGRAM	-	VRM (Gg) 1
GREENGRAM	-	VBN (Gg) 2
GROUNDNUT	-	CO (Gn) 4
GROUNDNUT	-	VRI (Gn) 5
BRINJAL HYBRID	-	COBH 1
BITTER GOURD HYBRID	-	CO (Bgo) H1
ONION	-	CO (On) 5
CHAKRAVARTHI KEERAI	-	OOTY (Ck) 1
SENNA	-	KKM (Se) 1

2002

RICE	-	ADT (R) 46
RICE	-	TKM (R) 12
MAIZE	-	COH (M) 4
COWPEA	-	CO (CP) 7
GROUNDNUT	-	CO (GN) 5
COCONUT	-	ALR (CN) 1

FRENCH BEAN	-	OOTY (FB) 2
BRINJAL	-	PPI (B) 1
TAPIOCA	-	CO (TP) 4
CORIANDER	-	CO (CR) 4
BUTTON MUSHROOM	-	OOTY (BM) 2

2003

RICE	-	PMK (R) 3
BLACKGRAM	-	VBN (Bg) 4
SAPOTA	-	PKM (Sa) 4
CUSTARD APPLE	-	APK (Ca) 1
CINNAMON	-	PPI (Ci) 1